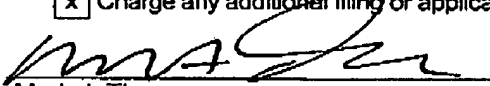


<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			Docket No. A8319.0013/P013		
Application No. 10/068,837-Conf. #9018	Filing Date February 11, 2002	Examiner S. J. Kalafut	Art Unit 1745		
Applicant(s): Kazutoshi Higashiyama et al.					
Invention: HYDROGEN PRODUCING APPARATUS AND POWER GENERATING SYSTEM USING IT					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
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